



0941.68725

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Shinichi Takahashi

Serial No.: 10/706,626

Conf. No.: 7983

Filed: November 12, 2003

For: HEAD SLIDER FOR MAGNETIC
DISKS THAT PREVENTS
ADHESION OF DUST

Art Unit: 2653

Examiner: Kayrish, Matthew

) I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited
) with the United States Postal Service as FIRST-
) CLASS mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop
) RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
) Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this date.

October 30, 2006

Date

Registration No. 47,954

F-CLASS.WCM

Attorney for Applicant(s)

Appr. February 20, 1998

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

Extension fee for response within first month:

() By a small entity (§1.9(f)) \$ 60.00
() By other than a small entity \$ 120.00

Extension fee for response within second month:

() By a small entity (§1.9(f)) \$ 225.00
(X) By other than a small entity \$ 450.00

Extension fee for response within third month:

() By a small entity (§1.9(f)) \$ 510.00
() By other than a small entity \$ 1,020.00

Extension fee for response within fourth month:

() By a small entity (§1.9(f)) \$ 795.00
() By other than a small entity \$1,590.00

Extension fee for response within fifth month:

() By a small entity (§1.9(f)) \$1,080.00
() By other than a small entity \$2,160.00

(X) A check in the amount of **\$450.00** is enclosed.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Customer No. 24978

October 30, 2006

300 South Wacker Drive
Suite 2500

Chicago, Illinois 60606

Telephone: (312) 360-0080

Facsimile: (312) 360-9315

P:\DOCS\0941\68725\AT9310.DOC

GREER, BURNS & CRAIN, LTD.

By

Josh C. Snider, Reg. No. 47,954

11/03/2006 RNDNDAF1 00000114 10706626 450.00 0P 01 FC:1252